

MODIFY RESTRICTIONS;
NORMAL HOURS MONDAY

Business and Industry of State Will Resume Normal Working Hours First of Week—Regional Railroad Directors Authorized to Restore Normal Train Service as Soon as Situation Warrants in Their Respective Regions.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Monday is expected to see a general return to normal working hours of business and industry in Chicago and Illinois as a result of modification of restrictions following settlement of the miners' strike.

The Illinois Public Utilities Commission today cancelled all of its regulations on the use of coal effective at 12 o'clock Monday. The order, however, does not affect Fuel Administrator Garfield's restrictions although regional directors were authorized today to remove the restrictions and restore normal train service as soon as the situation warranted in their respective regions. Early action by the directors was generally anticipated tonight.

In Chicago, nearly all restrictions will be removed Monday with the consent of T. W. Proctor, chairman of the Northwestern regional coal committee and G. W. Reed, local representative of the federal fuel administration.

After ten days of regulation which restricted offices and business to six hours, manufacturing to three days a week and theaters to seven performances a week, the local business men's committee today obtained sanction to lift the regulations affecting heat, light and power generated from the use of coal by public utilities.

The action was taken on information that mines supplying the Commonwealth Edison company, the Public Service Company of Northern Illinois and the Illinois Central all operating in the northwestern region, had resumed operation. Except for the territory served by those utilities, the lifting of restrictions did not apply to the remainder of the northwestern region. Although neither R. H. Aishton, director of the northwestern rail region, nor Hale Holden, of the central western region, had announced restrictions on the use of heat, light and power generated from soft coal as authorized by the United States railroad administration when warranted, early action was indicated.

Mr. Aishton in a statement said: "It being the desire to remove restrictions as rapidly as possible the conservation order of December has been modified to permit restoration as conditions warrant of the supplying of light, heat and power restricted by the order."

The central western coal committee chairman, B. J. Rowe announced that F. H. Law, assistant general freight agent of the Illinois Central railroad had been named a representative of the committee at Springfield, Illinois. It was made known that Mr. Law would work in co-operation with the Illinois state government and downstate industry in supervising the situation and advising removal of restrictions. The regulation of the sale of coal will continue under the application system and all fuel supply officials emphatically declared that conservation and conservation must continue to meet the shortage caused by the forty day strike. The only modification was announced by the central western region which will allow the first five classifications on the priorities list to buy coal without filing an application.

Many Illinois industries were in operation today and Samuel Insull, head of the Commonwealth Edison company said his information was to the effect that the return of the miners would be general on Monday.

Miners Resume Work
Springfield, Ill., Dec. 12.—Mines in the vicinity of Springfield began resumption of work today with 50 to 75 per cent of the usual working force on duty. Reports to the state office of the miners organization indicated that the majority of the strikers had returned to work although there was dissatisfaction in various places with the Indianapolis agreement.

Frank Farrington, president of the Illinois miners' association, telegraphed to several dissenting locals today ordering the men to return to work immediately and advising them that miners in other fields were resuming work and that Illinois could not carry on the fight alone.

Farrington left tonight for St. Louis and although he did not indicate the purpose of his trip, it was presumed he would later visit some of the mines in southern Illinois where the men have protested strongly against returning to work.

Operators in this district expected more miners to return tomorrow and hoped by Monday to be producing the normal output. Many miners had obtained other employment during the strike and others had drifted away from the mining centers but were expected to return now that the strike has been settled.

They would not return today voted to resume work tomorrow.

Fifty Per Cent Capacity.
Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 12.—Practically fifty per cent of the normal amount of coal produced daily in Indiana was hoisted from the mines today and mining at full speed is expected to begin Monday officials of the Indiana Coal Operators' association announced tonight.

The ranks of returned miners were greatly swelled today and the return of many more tomorrow and Monday was predicted. The operators based their statements on reports from all parts of the Indiana fields. Car shortage it was said would be the only thing to impede normal shipments of coal next week.

Mine operators and wholesalers in Indiana today generally increased the price of contract coal 14 per cent. This action, it was said, was based on a clause in most of the contracts providing that should the cost of production of coal at the mines increase or decrease during the life of the contract the cost to the buyer should be increased or decreased in amount to cover the change in cost of production. It was stated that very little coal is purchased by retail dealers on contract and that therefore the price will remain at the figure fixed by the government as far as domestic consumers are concerned.

Plans for the federal grand jury investigation of alleged violation of anti-trust laws and the Lever fuel control act by operators, miners, and dealers, were continued today. The investigation is scheduled to begin next Wednesday. It is believed that charges of contempt of court for violation of the federal injunction against furtherance of the miners strike are pending against eighty-four international and district officials will be dismissed. Hearing of these charges is set for Tuesday morning.

Given Authority by Hines.
Washington, Dec. 12.—Regional directors of railroads were given authority tonight by Director General Hines to remove restrictions on the use of light, heat and power derived from coal as soon as the fuel situation warrants.

The regional directors also were authorized to restore train service removed or curtailed to meet the coal shortage as soon as the fuel supply in the various regions justifies.

Sending out of the instructions constituted the first step taken by the government in expectation that miners would accept the government's strike settlement and return to work.

Director General Hines said conditions in the regions varied greatly and coal still was being shipped from the east to the west but that removal of restrictions might be shortly justified.

The railroad administration received unofficial estimates during the day that from 65 to 70 per cent of the miners had gone back to work.

Private reports to operators said that in Indiana nearly all the men had returned, but elsewhere a good deal of delay was being shown.

Fuel Administrator Garfield's resignation sent to President Wilson yesterday was discussed by white house officials, who expressed the belief that it would be accepted. The work of fuel administration it was said probably would be transferred to the coal administration.

Dr. Garfield refused to discuss the matter.

Operators representing the central Pennsylvania district were the first to act upon the settlement proposal and while accepting it, criticized its terms with the utmost vigor.

P. E. Harbison, counsel for the fuel administration announced that prices of coal contracted for by purchasers prior to the resumption of government price fixing could be legally raised to absorb the cost of the 14 per cent increase in miners' wages granted under the strike settlement.

Coal mined on contract, it was said, in most cases bore a price between the government maximum of \$2.25 per ton mine run and contracts ordinarily carried a clause binding the purchasers to pay additions in labor costs incurred after their making. Fuel administration statistics it was said, indicated that even after the addition of extra labor costs the 14 per cent increase in the largest portion of the contract cost still would be sold below the \$2.25 maximum.

The government, itself thru the railroad administration, which consumes normally thirty-one per cent of the coal mined, will pay the largest amounts under the ruling it was pointed out. The

way department contracts were said to give power to the secretary of war to make adjustments and as the settlement had the support of the administration was assumed that Secretary Baker would approve the increase. Much of the navy department's coal is being commandeered and some of the supply is mined in the Pochontas field which is non-union.

Private and industrial consumers supplied by contract coal will in most cases pay the increase. A small amount of high class coal, under the ruling was explained would be sold for a higher price than the government maximum.

Hines' Statement.
Director General Hines' statement on modifications of the conservation orders said:

"The conservation order of December 8, 1919, restricting the use of heat, light and power generated or produced from bituminous coal or coke was issued to make uniform in all parts of the country the restrictions which already had been adopted in many parts of the country and to save coal and coke. Until the production of coal becomes normal it is vitally necessary that it be conserved in every way possible and even after production reaches normal, it will be necessary to continue to conserve coal because of the loss in production of between thirty and thirty-five million tons during the strike. It is important therefore, that the public exercise the greatest caution in the consumption of coal."

"It being the desire to remove restrictions just as rapidly as possible the conservation order of December 8 has been modified today to permit the resumption as conditions warrant, of the supplying of light, heat and power restricted by this order. Coal is now being moved from the east to the west in large quantities as the relative situation in the two sections permit. The first increase in production that has resulted from the termination of the strike of the coal miners has been in the east where already the bulk of the production was being obtained. Conditions in the several regions differ and accordingly the order of the director will be modified on recognition of the regional directors as their respective situations may permit."

"Regional directors have been instructed today to restore all train service removed or curtailed because of the strike situation as soon as the general coal supply in their respective regions justifies in their judgment doing so, subject to such exceptions as may be ordered by the railroad administration in Washington."

Charges of pro-Germanism on the part of the Irish republican leaders and some of their supporters in this country threw the meeting into a furore which the committee quieted with difficulty after the chairman had warned against insults to any of the witnesses.

WILLARD CHARGED WITH PROFITEERING

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 12.—A federal warrant charging profiteering in the sale of cord wood, a violation of the Lever act, was issued today for Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion, by Fred Robertson, United States district attorney for Kansas. Willard will appear before O. Q. Clark, Jr., United States commerce in the federal court in Kansas City, Kansas, tomorrow Mr. Robertson said.

The warrant was placed in the hands of O. T. Wood, United States marshal for Kansas and at once telephoned to Willard at his home near Lawrence, Kansas. Willard said over the telephone he would appear voluntarily tomorrow to answer the charge.

It is alleged that Willard asked and received \$3.50 a cord for wood cut from his farm near Topeka. That amount, the district attorney asserted, is double what it should have been.

ENJOYS TEA WITH KING AND QUEEN

LONDON, Dec. 12.—M. Clemenceau and Queen Mary, who had tea with King George and Queen Mary, in the evening he dined with Earl Curzon of Kedleston and Lady Curzon and later went to a theater.

It has been learned from a French source that the disposition displayed by the British representatives in the conference is considered "excellent" and that both sides are pleased with the progress of negotiations. These included the Adriatic situation and Russian problem. The conference will be resumed Saturday.

LEAVE FOR WASHINGTON

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 12.—W. Z. Foster, secretary of the National Steel Strike Committee, accompanied by a number of other officials from strike headquarters here left tonight for Washington where they will attend a meeting of the committee tomorrow. John Fitzpatrick, chairman of the committee, stopped on his way to Washington from Chicago today and conferred with Mr. Foster.

PASS RESOLUTIONS

Stockholm, Dec. 12.—The Scandinavian extreme Socialists and Laborites today passed a resolution in support of the promotion of a world revolution affirming solidarity by the congress with soviet Russia's fighting workers and recommending the development of trades unions as active revolutionary elements, the fighting arms of which should include strikes, sabotage and obstruction.

WANTS FEDERAL CONTROL

Saginaw, Mich., Dec. 12.—Michigan graners today demanded that the railroads be kept under government control for two years longer in order that federal operation may have a fair trial under peace time conditions. The convention closed tonight with the installation of officers.

CANADA SHIPS TEN MILLION IN GOLD

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The Canadian government is shipping \$10,000,000 in gold to this city, it was announced today, for the purpose of meeting obligations here and also to check the depreciation in Montreal exchange.

Sale of Canadian grain bills is believed to have accentuated the weakness in exchange. This is the largest import of gold from Canada since last year. The gold will be sold on arrival to the federal reserve bank.

IRISH REPUBLIC

Recognition Claim Brought to Congress

ALL DAY DEBATE

Consideration of Bill by Representative Mason Brings Tempestuous Session of House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The claim of the Irish republic to recognition as an independent nation was brought to congress again today and was debated in militant fashion thru a tempestuous all day session of the house committee on foreign affairs.

A crowd which jammed the committee room and blocked adjoining corridors punctured the proceedings with cheers and with hoots of disapproval as the opposing speakers presented their arguments and many times threw the session into disorder by yelling gratuitous advice. It included many leaders of the cause of Irish freedom in this country and manifested its sympathy for the plea for recognition. The occasion was committee consideration of a bill by Representative Mason, Republican, Illinois, which would appropriate funds for dispatch of diplomatic and consular representatives to the government set up by the insurgent Irish Republic. Its supporters declared it presented an opportunity for congress to do all it could constitutionally toward a full diplomatic recognition and its opponents condemned it as an effort to involve the United States in a dangerous foreign situation.

Charges of pro-Germanism on the part of the Irish republican leaders and some of their supporters in this country threw the meeting into a furore which the committee quieted with difficulty after the chairman had warned against insults to any of the witnesses.

Interruptions so prolonged the hearing that the committee's plan of concluding today was abandoned, and the arguments will be resumed tomorrow.

VILLISTAS HAVE FLED TO MOUNTAINS

Mexican Federals Now in Complete Control of Muzquiz

Eagle Pass, Texas, Dec. 12.—The Villistas, who captured Muzquiz, Coahuila, Tuesday, were driven out of the town today and have fled to the mountains, according to Mexican Consul G. M. Seguin tonight.

Francisco Villa himself was in command of the force, the consul announced following a visit to military headquarters in Piedras Negras, opposite Eagle Pass.

General Francisco Murguía with nine train loads of federal troops is expected to reach Muzquiz tomorrow morning, while 1,000 government troops under General Truneda from Chihuahua are coming up with the intention of intercepting the fleeing Villa forces according to Consul Seguin. The federals are now in complete possession of Muzquiz he added.

No official report as to casualties and prisoners in the fighting between federals and Villistas had been received in Piedras Negras tonight and details of the engagement were meager.

Unverified reports said Villistas have blown up two federal troop trains and the Villa followers were approaching Piedras Negras, Consul Seguin's statement that Francisco Villa commanded the troops operating around Muzquiz was the first indication here that the bandit chieftain was in that section. Previous reports said Hidalgo Villa commanded these forces.

RAILWAY WILL STOP OPERATION

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The Illinois Southern railway, running from Salem, Ill., to Bismarck, Missouri, will discontinue operation at midnight by order of Federal Judge George A. Carpenter. The road, a coal carrier, suffered heavily from the strike and as a result W. W. Wheelock, receiver, decided to abandon service.

POTASSIUM DEPOSITS

Berlin, Thursday, Dec. 11.—Deposits of potassium salts resorted as inexhaustible have been found by prospectors in northern Germany, according to a report printed in the Tageblatt.

ISSUES CHALLENGE

Paris, Dec. 12.—Georges Carpentier today issued a challenge to Jack Dempsey for a bout for the heavy-weight championship of the world.

LIST FAIR PRICES

Clothing List Issued by Chicago Sub Committee

DRASTIC DECREASE

Committee Claims Decrease in Price of Staple Articles of Clothing Will Be Brought About

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The first "fair prices on clothing" were listed today by the Chicago clothing sub-committee of the Illinois Fair Price committee to show that dependable merchandise can be bought at reasonable prices. The prices were not fixed as maximum or minimum figures.

As long as present stocks last, women's suits can be purchased as low as \$25, dresses at \$15.25, shoes at \$4.95, men's shoes at \$3.50, suits and overcoats at \$24.50 each. These prices were made by the sub-committee consisting of five executives of some of Chicago's large stores and their statement said the figures were "fair prices for serviceable articles in the various lines mentioned but that replacement orders at present market prices will increase these figures."

The price list follows:
Men's suits, \$24.50.
Men's overcoats, \$24.50.
Men's shoes, \$5.95.
Men's hosiery, 25c.
Men's underwear, \$13.50.
Women's suits, \$25.00.
Women's dresses, \$15.25.
Women's coats, \$18.90.
Women's shoes, \$4.95.
Women's hosiery, 25c.
Women's underwear, \$12.50.
Boy's suits, \$5.90.
Boy's overcoats, \$8.50.
Children's hosiery, 40c.
Children's underwear, 50c.
Children's shoes, \$3.95.
The first effect of the fair price list will be to bring about a drastic decrease in the price of suits, overcoats, hats, shoes and all other staple articles of clothing, the committee declared.

ALABAMA RIVER CENTER OF FLOODS

Water Has Inundated Lower Portions of Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 12.—The Alabama river was the center tonight of the floods that for nearly a week have inundated the lower portions of the states of Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi. As the crest passed Montgomery leaving the city without street car service, gas lights and hardly enough power for street lights and light plants, reports from down stream became more alarming.

Reports from Mississippi showed the floods retreating leaving washouts, heavy damage to property and livestock and a total of seven dead.

Three persons have been drowned near Atlanta and five near Montgomery bringing the known death list to fifteen.

Possibly the greatest financial loss was to the great power plants in Georgia and Alabama and the consequent shutting down of scores of industries.

Railroads lost heavily and trains were being detained to night in most of the flood sections.

WAR VETERANS TO MERE SOCIETIES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Wenger of the world war veterans, Soldiers, Sailors and Marines association and the rank and file veterans corporation into one organization to be known as the world war veterans, incorporated, was announced here today by a national committee representing the three organizations. Congress will be asked immediately for a charter.

SPANISH MURDERER ESCAPES GALLOWS

PRINCETON, Ill., Dec. 12.—Prudentio Laurens, sentenced to hang here today, escaped the gallows when Governor Lowden commuted his sentence to a life term for life. Laurens was guilty of the murder of Belestre Blanche, another Spaniard, during the summer of 1918, at Depue.

MAY DISCONTINUE SERVING MEALS

BERLIN, Wednesday, Dec. 10.—Proprietors of all hotels, restaurants and cafes in Berlin have voted to discontinue serving meals on December 18, if the order limiting the amount of supplies carried by public places imposed December 2 is not rescinded.

U. S. BANKER KILLED

London, Dec. 12.—George F. Rand, president of the Marine National Bank of Buffalo, N. Y., fell from an airplane near Catenham, Surrey, yesterday and was instantly killed.

Lieut. Bradley, who was piloting the machine, was dangerously injured.

SIGNED AS COACH

Chicago, Dec. 12.—"Patsy" Donovan, a one time major league star, has been signed to act as coach of the Chicago National League Club pitching staff, it was announced today. He will also assist Manager Mitchell in directing the club.

JOLIET CONVICTS OVERPOWER GUARD

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 12.—Two convicts applied for work in the women's prison here this morning, overpowered Joseph M. Reis, a guard, took his revolver and escaped. They were captured an hour later after a gun battle in a Joliet street. James Burke, sentenced from Cook county in 1915 for burglary, was wounded in the revolver battle. He will recover. Edward Shields, sentenced in May 1896 from Cook county for burglary was the other convict who took part in the escape. Both were parole violators.

ABANDONS FIGHT

Emma Goldman Unwilling to Leave Berkman

READY FOR RUSSIA

Attorney Asks That Application For Writ of Error or Appeal Be Withdrawn.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Rather than be separated from Alexander Berkman, her companion of years, Emma Goldman announced tonight that she had abandoned her legal fight in the supreme court to prevent her deportation to soviet Russia with Berkman and some eighty other radicals.

Harry Weinberger, her attorney, in a letter to Assistant Attorney General Stewart at Washington, asked that Miss Goldman's application for a writ of error or appeal be withdrawn.

The letter said Miss Goldman preferred jail or deportation to continued custody on Ellis Island.

The refusal of the supreme court to delay Berkman's deportation the attorney said, also had led Miss Goldman to abandon her fight.

A statement issued by Misses Goldman said: "I desire to go as soon as possible to soviet Russia and I expect the government to keep its promise to deport Berkman and myself as well as other Russians within ten days. Citizenship by naturalization today is no protection to any former alien."

Characterizing the government's action as like that of "the czar of old Russia," Miss Goldman continued: "I expect while in soviet Russia to read shortly of American born citizens being deported from America to the island of Guam or some other colonial possession of America, despite the constitution which guarantees free speech and free press."

ENGINEER STOPS TRAIN TO SAVE BOY'S LIFE

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 12.—Chesapeake and Ohio passenger train number 25 arrived in Louisville last night fifteen minutes late, but John Cavins, engineer apparently soothed the anger of railroad officials with a report that he "stopped the train just outside of Frankfort, Ky., to save the life of a boy who had fallen in an 'icy pond.'"

Cavins said his train was going slowly around a sharp curve when "I saw boys apparently falling to effect the rescue of a comrade from a mill pond."

"I stopped the train, cut the bell cord and hurried to the pond. The ice was too thin to hear me, so I threw the rope to the lad, who though numbed and struggling to keep on top of the water, passed it around his body and I dragged him out. I took him to the railroad station and by artificial respiration, resuscitated him."

SOLDIERS IN DUBLIN WITH FIXED BAYONETS

DUBLIN, Thursday, Dec. 11.—Soldiers and policemen who today searched the mansion house, were stationed this evening with fixed bayonets in a near-by garage. The raid was made to suppress the Christmas fair, which is held annually by the Gaelic league for the display of Irish manufactures.

Late this afternoon the lord mayor said he was so accustomed to raids upon the mansion house that he had ceased to feel even resentment. Every room in the building had been searched and the excretion of a bed room where his wife was ill, he said.

After the raids the league announced that the fair would be held just the same. A number of prisoners have been deported on a warship from this port.

FRENCH PAPERS WANT REAL ALLIANCE

PARIS, Dec. 12.—Many French newspapers express the desire that the conference between Lloyd George and Clemenceau should be in the conclusion of an entente agreement equivalent to a real alliance from England, Italy, France and Belgium.

Louis Loucheur, minister of reconstruction has been called to London by Premier Clemenceau.

MAY FORM NEW PARTY

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 12.—A new political party probably will be organized before July 1 next it was said at the national conference of Liberals tonight.

FINAL ACTION ON ARMY CAMP BILL DELAYED

Measure Would Make Available Over \$9,600,000 for Camp Development.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Final action on the bill making available more than \$9,600,000 for completing the development of more than thirty army camps and aviation fields, including purchase of land at several places, was delayed today in the house by a demand for reading of the engrossed bill.

Before a final vote tomorrow on the bill, effort will be made to restore a provision for the government purchase of the Dayton-Wright airplane plant and adjoining fields at Dayton, Ohio, for \$2,740,000. On a tie vote today the purchase of the Dayton plant was tentatively eliminated from the bill.

Representative Madden, Republican, Illinois, who was presiding when the Dayton item was voted on, announced its defeat without voting himself, although his support of the proposal, if given, would have saved it. The house tentatively approved purchases of the Curtis-Edmond plant at Buffalo, N. Y., for \$1,804,000. Other large expenditures approved were for the development of Camps Brag, N. C., and Knox, Ky.

Efforts to add provisions authorizing expenditures at various camps were defeated, excepting a proposal of Representative Longworth, Republican, Ohio, for spending \$180,000 for land at the nitrate plant near Cincinnati. The only opposition to the committee program developed on the proposal to purchase the Dayton property.

WASHINGTON THEATRE DESTROYED BY FIRE

Historic Building Had Played a Part in Life of Capital For Nearly a Century.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The Lyceum theater, known before the Civil war as the Washington Assembly Hall and for which for nearly a century has played a part in the social life of the capital and in which five presidents held inaugural balls, was in ruins today. Fire, which started from a lighted cigar thrown into a crowded gallery and which imperiled the lives of upwards of 2,000 persons, damaged the buildings and contents to the extent of about \$75,000.

Harvey's restaurant, another establishment famous for its gathering of notables that before the Civil war, which adjoins the Lyceum at the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Eleventh street was only slightly damaged, but midnight diners were forced to flee.

The theater was well filled by an audience that had stayed after the regular performance to witness a wrestling match. A cry of fire from the gallery nearly precipitated a panic but the crowd was reassured. A few minutes later flames burst through the ceiling and this time the audience ran for the exits. Cool heads checked the rush and the building was cleared in an orderly manner.

WATCHING PRICES CHARGED BY OPERATOR

Mine Owners' Prices Being Closely Scrutinized by Officials.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Prices charged by coal operators since government control was re-imposed because of the strike are being scrutinized closely by officials of the railroad administration and probably will be submitted to the department of justice. Bills being rendered by the operators are said by officials to specify prices higher in many instances than set by the government and investigation will be made to determine whether the increased prices are justified by existing contracts.

It was specified in the order restoring war time prices that coal shipped subsequent to Nov. 13 on contracts made prior to October 30 should be paid for at the contract rate, but so much coal has been priced at the higher rate that an investigation has been deemed necessary.

Discrepancies in prices have been one cause, according to officials of the financial embarrassment of which the operators have been complaining. Director General Hines has changed the method of payment for railroad coal from a monthly to a weekly basis to assist the operators in this respect and they have been given to understand that wherever necessary to avoid stopping production the railroad administration will provide them with funds by taking over all the coal being mined.

Most of the bills submitted by the operators for coal are said to have averaged around \$2.25 to \$2.65 compared with government prices of \$2.50 to \$2.95. In one case, however, an operator put in a bill for coal at \$8 a ton.

OUTFIGHTS BISHOP

Saginaw, Mich., Dec. 12.—Frankie Brennan of Detroit, middleweight champion of Michigan, outboxed Pat Bishop of Bay City here tonight in five of ten rounds.

One round went to Bishop and four were even. Brennan's superior speed and boxing ability enabled him to beat Bishop.

ELECTED CAPTAIN

Minneapolis, Dec. 12.—Trig Johnson of St. Paul, star linesman was tonight elected captain of the 1920 football team of the University of Minnesota.

FARM CROP VALUES

Value of Crops Harvested Reach Unprecedented Total

EXCEED LAST YEAR

Area of Harvested Crops More Than 2,600,000 Acres Larger Than Last Year—Corn Maintains Place as King

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Record prices and bountiful production sent the value of farm crops harvested this year to the unprecedented total of \$14,032,744,000 exceeding the value of last year's crop by almost \$1,500,000,000. Final estimates of production were issued today by the department of agriculture and values were based on prices paid to producers December 1. The area of harvested crops, this year, was more than 2,600,000 acres larger than last year, amounting to a total of 353,124,473 acres.

Corn easily maintained its place as king of crops, with a value of \$3,324,234,000 while cotton, including cottonseed, was second with a total value of \$2,332,913,000. The hay crop was third with \$2,129,087,000.

Wheat, combining the winter and spring crops was fourth with \$2,028,522,000. Oats, a billion dollar crop last year, reached a total of only \$855,603,000, because of decreased production.

Record crops of winter wheat, rice, sweet potatoes and hay were grown, while the production of wheat, rye and tobacco was next to the largest ever harvested.

Prices paid producers were higher this year for every crop than they were last year with the exception of beans, cranberries and oranges.

Total Production and Value.
The total production and value based on prices paid to farmers December 1, of the chief crops follow:

(Production in bushels except where otherwise specified).
Corn 2,917,450,000 and \$3,324,234,000.
Winter wheat 731,636,000 and \$1,543,472,000.
Spring wheat 209,361,000 and \$485,020,000.
Oats 1,248,310,000 and \$895,603,000.
Barley 165,719,000 and \$200,419,000.
Rye 88,478

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Bertha Krupp is now manufacturer of locomotives. Big Bertha guns now out of date.

The strike as a bludgeon to force the consumer into paying extortionate prices is a weapon of lawlessness.

The trial of the former Kaiser seems to have been lost in the mix-up of more important world affairs.

It is claimed that the Christmas doll is now strictly American, those of German origin being barred from the market.

Of course Chicago was selected as the place for the Republican National Convention. Score one for Lowden.

Cutrell's Majestic Cheater
225 West State St. Change of program daily

TODAY

PEGGY
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in

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TODAY



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Foremost Organization of its Kind in the World

A NIGHT IN OLD HAWAII

—Also—

Also Five Reel Feature Picture

WILLIAM DESMOND

—in—

"Life's a Funny Proposition"

Also a Strand Comedy

"Winning Him Back"

Pictures Start at 3:00, 5:30 and 8:00 o'clock

Vaudeville Starts at 4:45, 7:15 and 9:45 o'clock

Admission—Adults, 39c; Children, 28c

(This includes the War Tax)

AGAIN THE TARIFF

The Republican Publicity Association through its President, Hon. Jonathan Bourne, Jr., makes the following statement from its Washington Headquarters:

"Democratic persistency in ignoring or misrepresenting economic facts was illustrated in the message to Congress discussing foreign trade and the tariff question. Whether the message was written by the President or by members of his cabinet, or by Mr. Tumulty, it sets forth the principles of the Democratic party on the tariff question, and it is against a protective tariff. On that subject, the message says: 'Any measures taken to prevent imports will inevitably curtail exports, force curtailment of production, load the banking machinery of the country with credits to carry unsold products and produce industrial stagnation and unemployment.'"

"That statement ignores facts set forth in the annual statistical abstract of the Department of Commerce which shows that during the 13 years prior to the outbreak of the war, the rest of the world bought from the United States, the aggregate excess for the imports by \$544,000,000 and exports every year, the excess in the year ending June 30, 1913, being \$652,000,000. And all that period was under a protective tariff—the tariff which the Democratic party denounced."

"A further examination of figures of the Department of Commerce will show that the President's message stated the exact opposite of the truth. The fact is, and it is proven by the statisticians of the Democratic administration, that measures encouraging imports will inevitably curtail exports. Now let us look at the evidence."

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Rippling Rhymes
By Walt Mason

An Example.
Let us set a good example in these wild excited days, when men mill around and trample on our corns in fifty ways. Let's not join them in their milling, but, by fixing up our shanks, demonstrate that we are willing to get down once more to tacks. Let us shun the noise clamor of the smiths who wield the jaw; let us argue with the hammer and extemporize with the saw. Let us build a stately dwelling for the hens to occupy, while the anarchists are yelling threats and curses at the sky. Let's erect a noble shanty where our crows may chew their cuds, while the Russian, wild and ranty, blows the foam from bootlegged suds. All our ills will be adjusted, and the Reds will whoop in vain, if we only can be trusted to be calm and sane. If you'd rail at your condition, if you're victimized by crimes, bending 'neath some imposition, let it slide, saner

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SPECIAL SALE
on Xmas Candies.
Broken Mix, 30c lb.
Brilliant Mix, 40c lb.
Peanut Squares, 35c lb.
Peanut Brittle — Wrapped
Kisses
Chocolate Creams
And Full Assortment
of Pan Goods
PEACOCK INN

RECALLS HIS VISIT
TO THIS CITY

Government Official Well Remembers Time He Rode Thru Display Window in Jacksonville.

A. G. Field, who is agent of information with the federal board for vocational education in Washington, D. C., was a visitor in Jacksonville some years ago. He recalled that visit in a recent letter to a friend in Jacksonville.

He wrote, "I note that one of the photos sent out by this office to illustrate the work done is on view in the window of one of your newspaper offices. This reminds me that I went thru a window in Jacksonville a good many years ago. Gov. Yates had just been elected and I was one of a cavalry troop which was sent to take part in a parade in his honor. We rode overland from Springfield. I was riding a very fine horse and in Jacksonville when we drew sabres to pass in review my mount left the ranks, dashed upon the sidewalk and thrust his head thru a large plate glass window. With his head inside he proceeded to go the rest of the way, taking his rider with him. Naturally I quite well remember that visit to Jacksonville which was my first."

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One that is good
for years and for every day
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PHI ALPHA PROGRAM

Phi Alpha society of Illinois college held its regular meeting Friday night and carried out the following program:

Essayist, Hegstrom — "Formal Debating."
Declaimer, Calhoun — "The Whole Nation an Army."
Orator, Theis — "Americanization Thru Education."
Select Reader, Mendenhall — "The Tell-tale Heart."
Extemporaneous, Bradley and Scott — "Why I Joined Phi Alpha."

Debate — Resolved, "That the United States should ratify the German peace treaty without reservation." Affirmative, Weaver, Dolbow. Negative, H. Wilson, Headen. The affirmative went to the affirmative by a vote of 2 to 1. The merits were voted by the house to the negatives.

Curtis Bradley and Charles Scott were admitted to membership in the society.

TAYLOR'S CLOSING OUT

SALE. I CAN'T FIND A
STORE ROOM. MUST SELL
MY STOCK.

Soap—120 bars\$3.95
1 gal. Karo85c
4 lb. sack panake flour35c
5 lbs. pure lard\$1.45
1 doz. cans corn\$1.59
10 lbs. navy beans85c
1 doz. red salmon\$4.00
1 doz. No. 3 tomatoes\$2.30
1 doz. No. 3 baked beans\$1.65
1 doz. No. 3 sliced peaches\$4.35
1 doz. No. 3 cut Asparagus\$3.84
5 lbs. pop corn55c
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Harry Strang of Roodhouse had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

C. W. Terry of Springfield was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Willis of Prentice were shoppers in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ainsworth journeyed from Roodhouse to the city yesterday.

Sol Hainsfurther of Winchester was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Charles Zulloff of Arenzville

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Russell & Thompson's

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Martin Feore of Franklin was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Alfred Hawk journeyed from Merritt to the city yesterday.

Morris Walsh came up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

OPEN FROM

9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Today
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John W. Langdon and family were city callers from Murrayville yesterday.

James Peabody of Concord was among the city shoppers yesterday.

Lawrence Means was down to the city from Sinclair yesterday.

J. W. Marbold of Greenview was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simons of Murrayville were city callers yesterday.

John Fishal of Waverly precinct made a business trip to town yesterday.

Everything nice for a man or boy at Knoles.

Julius Nobis of Arenzville was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

W. N. Luttrell and daughter Eleanor were among the city arrivals from Franklin yesterday.

Mrs. John Whorton helped represent Griggs in the city yesterday.

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Carl Neat, the well known banker of Winchester, was shaking hands with Jacksonville friends yesterday.

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Mrs. E. L. Kennedy was a city caller from Bluffs yesterday.

Mrs. David Seymour helped represent Franklin in the city yesterday.

Myron Miller was a city arrival from Alexandria yesterday.

IVORY SETS, stationery, perfumery, cameras, razors.

GILBERT'S PHARMACY

Mrs. Janie Woodson of Bluffs was a city arrival yesterday.

F. K. Dufelmeier of Arenzville made a trip to the city yesterday.

Henry Oakes, well known financier of Bluffs, called in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hansmeier of Joy Prairie were arrivals in the county seat yesterday.

Elmer Newby of the west part of the county was a caller on city people yesterday.

Fancy stationery in tints, 2 for 76c to 2 for \$1.51. Luly-Davis Drug Co. Both Stores

Mrs. George Calhoun traveled from Franklin to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Martin Anderson of the southern part of the county came to town yesterday.

Charles Wyatt of Franklin was numbered among the city arrivals yesterday.

Edward Allen and wife were down to the city from Scrawn's Crossing yesterday.

Peter Roberts and family were up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

Eugene Reid of Versailles was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Buy your gift stationery for 1 cent. Luly-Davis Drug Co. Both Stores.

C. B. Mills of Hannibal spent Friday in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Jansen of St. Louis were visitors in the city yesterday.

D. L. Harris of Roodhouse was a business visitor in the city Friday.

Ed P. Smith and J. W. Kirby of Quincy spent Friday in the city attending to business matters.

Mrs. A. Doolittle of Dixon was a visitor in the city Friday.

Fred B. Six of Alexandria was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. B. Atkins of Orleans shopped in the city yesterday.

IVORY SETS, stationery, perfumery, cameras, razors.

GILBERT'S PHARMACY

Mrs. Ella McNeimer of Murrayville was in town on business Friday.

Dr. J. W. Eckman made a trip from Winchester to the city yesterday.

Clarence Cassell journeyed from Bluffs to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Abe Dinwiddie and daughter Eleanor were down to the city from near Literberry yesterday.

Oliver Wilson and family were representatives of Nortonville in the city yesterday.

Con Lonergan and family traveled from Murrayville to the city yesterday.

Best Christmas gifts for gentleman friends; Knoles.

Miss Hazel Wood of the southeast part of the county was a city shopper yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Bracwell of the vicinity of Zion church were among the city arrivals yesterday.

Miss Nannie Hagan was a city caller from Chapin yesterday.

Mrs. N. E. Kelm of Bluffs was one of the city shoppers yesterday.

William Zahn and family arrived in the city from near Concord yesterday.

Allen Chrisman of the vicinity of Merritt was a caller in town yesterday.

See the Christmas neckwear shown by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

Thomas Langdon made a trip from Murrayville to the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Calhoun of Franklin was a caller on city people yesterday.

Henry Naylor of Arenzville made a business trip to the city yesterday.

J. H. Loefman of Virginia was added to the list of business callers in town yesterday.

Russell Wolford was a traveler from Bluffs to the city yesterday.

L. M. Harsber was down to the city from Springfield yesterday.

Men's Xmas good; Knoles.

Scott Tranbarger made a trip from Franklin to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Lewis of Springfield visited Mrs. S. W. Nichols

and family on West College street yesterday.

Clarence Blue of Pittsburgh, Ill., was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

G. Kirsch of Belleville was among the city callers yesterday.

Henry Danahan of Pittsfield paid the city a call yesterday.

S. R. Wideman of Chicago was a visitor with city people yesterday.

A D Lamb was a traveler from Beardstown to the city yesterday.

J. J. Tapp of Venice helped swell the list of city callers yesterday.

Silk shirts, silk hosiery and silk neckwear for men are shown by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

Helen Bennett, who has been attending Millikin University, has returned home for the Christmas holidays.

Frank Hart was a business traveler from Franklin to the city yesterday.

Miss Carrie Delta was over to the city from Pittsfield yesterday.

Mrs. Harmon Young of White Hall helped swell the list of city callers yesterday.

Clark Taylor of Bluffs had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

See Knoles if you want a good Xmas gift for him.

R. W. Reeve of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

George Mason of the north part of the county called on city people yesterday.

Mrs. Ralph Reynolds of Asbury neighborhood was a city caller yesterday.

Miss Della Thorne of Scott county was a caller on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

William Duke and family of Woodson traveled in their Oakland car to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hurd of Palmyra were among the callers in the city yesterday.

Gloves for any kind of weather. FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

F. M. Spence and daughter Emma were city arrivals from Litchfield yesterday.

Mrs. August Deuser of Waverly was one of the city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Casey helped represent Winchester in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patrick of Winchester were holiday shoppers in the city yesterday.

Henry Jacobs of Virginia made a trip to the city yesterday.

Miss Mabel Irving of Arenzville was attending to her wants in the city yesterday.

Just received, unexpected shipment of stationery and correspondence cards for 1c sale. Luly-Davis Drug Co., Both Stores.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chapman, Dean and Madeleine, were all down to the city from Literberry yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Cooker of Manchester is making a week end visit with Mrs. J. P. Mutch of Hardin avenue.

Mrs. Thomas Mehan of Bluffs was one of the city callers yesterday.

J. H. Taylor and family journeyed from Franklin to the city yesterday.

Russell Brockhouse was among the city arrivals from Chapin yesterday.

John Goffnet of Meredosia was a visitor in the city yesterday.

JUMBO PEANUTS

The world's best nut for all purposes. New crop now in. Order your holiday supply now. **SCHRAG-CULLY Coffee Co.**

Oliver Wilson and family came to town from Nortonville yesterday.

Oliver Woodall, a resident of Winchester, was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Wood was a city shopper from Virginia yesterday.

Russell Wolford was a traveler from Bluffs to the city yesterday.

Roy Merrinab journeyed from Naples to the city yesterday.

Tad McDonald and son were added to the city arrivals from Winchester yesterday.

Ladies buying Furs of FRANK BYRNS Hat Store are assured of late styles, and right prices.

William Zahn and family of the vicinity of Concord were among the city visitors yesterday.

R. D. Mawson was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

John Heaton of Lynnville was among the city callers yesterday.

Fred McFadden of New Berlin was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. James McDonald of the north part of the county made a visit to the city yesterday.

Clarence Cassell was a city arrival from Bluffs yesterday.

Don't let your car freeze up. I have plenty of de-natured alcohol. \$1.00 per gallon.

R. T. CASSELL

John Jones of Winchester visited the county seat of Morgan yesterday.

Marion Morthole was up to the city from Chapin yesterday.

R. A. Taylor was a city visitor from Alexandria yesterday.

Miss Ruth Kirkpatrick of Bluffs was one of the Scott county visitors in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Euke of Meredosia were added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. Richard Oxley of the vicinity of Durbin was a visitor with city people yesterday.

Miss Lou Brockhouse of Chapin was one of the travelers to town yesterday.

CHANGE OF HOURS

The office of The Johnston Agency are now permanently made 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Mrs. C. M. Skinner of Meredosia shopped in the city yesterday.

Miss Marie Pearson of Springfield will be here Sunday to visit

her aunt, Miss Nora Tubbs on East State street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ebrey of Franklin were callers on city friends yesterday.

John Ryman made a business trip from Alexandria to the city yesterday.

Miss Mamie Hegarty of Chapin was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

Mrs. E. Rankin and son Orville were travelers from Bluffs to the city yesterday.

R. S. Maupin of Prentice is in town for a short time.

J. W. Ryder of Roodhouse was in the city on business yesterday.

Mrs. J. C. Swain of Sinclair visited in the city yesterday.

Charles Releford of Beardstown was here on business yesterday.

Mrs. C. P. Taylor of Bluffs was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. G. M. Graham of Bluffs visited in the city yesterday.

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R. T. CASSELL

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shale of New Berlin were visitors in the city yesterday.

Adolph Long of New Berlin was in the city yesterday.

James Bown of south of the city visited in the city yesterday.

H. C. Kruse of Springfield visited the city on business yesterday.

F. Millikin and wife of Warren were visitors in the city yesterday.

GLANCE AT THE ANDRE & ANDRE WINDOWS

for gift suggestions, largest assortment in the city. Be sure and visit their toy section, you'll be pleased with the wonderful values shown there.

H. Willson of the Furston Fur Co., of St. Louis was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. B. TenBroek of St. Louis is a visitor in the city.

L. C. French and wife of Manchester visited friends in the city yesterday.

Trinity Episcopal church

apron sale this morning at 10:30 o'clock at the rectory.

Afternoon tea will be served.

Friends of the church are cordially invited to be present.

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Front Quarter, young tender, extra quality, lb. 10½c
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BEEF LOAF Ground from Fresh Government Inspected Beef 15½c	FRESH LIVER Sliced Thin 5c	PORK SAUSAGE Country Style 24½c
JUMBO DILL PICKLES, 3 FOR 10c BEST MINCE 19c MEAT 67c BUTTER 59c BOILED HAM, SLICED 8½c SHANK 27½c SOUP BONES 41c WILSON'S CERTIFIED OLEOMARGARINE 41c	Bulk Sauer Kraut 6c Fresh Corned Beef 14½c Bacon Side or Half Side 30½c	FRESH SMOKED WEINERS 19½c BOLOGNA 17½c LIVER SAUSAGE 17½c PICKLED TRIPE AND PIGS FEET 12½c ARMOUR'S SILVERNUT 32c MORRIS & CO. NUT OLEOMARGARINE 32c WILSON'S NUT BUTTERINE 32c DRY SALT SIDE PORK 27½c

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Social Events

With Side Circle
A meeting of the South Side Circle was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph Ekson of West North street. Refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed by all.

Clair Country Club Meets Friday.
The Sinclair Country Club met yesterday at the home of Mrs. Harry Martin with a very good attendance. Refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be held Friday.

A TEXAS WONDER

For kidney and bladder troubles, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys in both men and women. Not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail in receipt of \$1.25. One often cures. Send for sworn testimony. Dr. E. W. Hall, 225 Olive St., Louisville, Mo. Sold by druggists.

What to Give the Ladies

Without the ladies there would be no Christmas. Without special gifts for giving to women, Christmas would provide little pleasure to most of us. Our list of women's gifts this year is big.

White Ivory Photo Frames	25c to \$5.00
Manicure Sets	\$1.00 to \$10.00
White Ivory Toilet Sets	\$5.00 to \$25.00
White Ivory Jewel Boxes	75c to \$8.00
Stationery	25c to \$4.00
Fountain Pens	\$1.50 to \$12.00
Box Candy	25c to \$3.00
White Ivory Hair Receivers	75c to \$3.50
White Ivory Puff Boxes	75c to \$3.50
White Ivory Mirrors	\$2.50 to \$12.00
White Ivory Hair Brushes	\$1.50 to \$7.00
Perfume Atomizers	\$1.50 to \$3.50
Perfumes	50c to \$10.00
Toilet Waters	35c to \$3.50
White Manicure Pieces	35c to \$2.00
Shoe Horns	50c to \$1.00
White Ivory Combs	35c to \$2.00
White Ivory Trays	35c to \$5.00
Cute Manicure Outfits	50c to \$1.50
Perfume Sets	\$1.50 to \$5.00
White Ivory Rosary Boxes	75c to \$1.50
White Ivory Hat Pin Holders	35c to \$1.00
Clutch Pencils	\$1.00 to \$5.00
White Ivory Talcum Powder Boxes	50c to \$1.50
White Ivory Tooth Powder Boxes	50c to \$1.75
Kodak Albums	50c to \$2.75
Cameras	\$3.25 to \$25.00

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G. B. B. Class
Meets With Teacher.
The G. B. B. class of the First Baptist church met at the home of their teacher, Mrs. L. B. Turner of North Prairie street last evening.

After the business meeting all present dressed dolls for the Hudleston Orphanage at Irvington.
A picnic supper was served and all present had a very delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Phillips of the Clark's Chapel neighborhood entertained a number of guests at six o'clock dinner Friday. The evening was most pleasantly spent with music and games. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Everett Long, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cox, Dolph Bozar and sister, Miss Emma Bozar, Harry Perry, Fred Perry, and Miss Daisy Perry.

Box Social at Little York School

An entertainment and box supper was successfully held at Little York School Thursday night with a very good attendance. A pleasing program was rendered

by the pupils and during the evening music was furnished by the Waverly Orchestra. Charles Strawn was the auctioneer and a neat sum of \$58.00 was realized which will be used for the benefit of the school.

Missionary Society Met

The Young Women's Foreign Missionary Society of Grace M. E. church held their December meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Eula Priest, 1203 West State street with a large attendance of members and several visitors present. The devotions were led by Miss Maude Moxon. A review of Chapter II of the Study Book was given by Miss Cornelia LaRue. Miss Mary Rose Adams of the Illinois Woman's College gave a vocal number and Miss Bernice Wood gave a reading. The regular business meeting of the society was held. Following this a social time was enjoyed and delightful refreshments were served by the hostess.

Womans Relief Corps Elects Officers For Coming Year

The regular meeting of the Womans Relief Corps was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jas. C. Weber. The attendance was large. The election of officers for the coming year was held with the following results:

President—Mrs. Belle Hopper
Senior Vice—Mrs. Anna Ferguson
Junior Vice—Mrs. Maria Taylor
Treasurer—Mrs. Angie P. Weber
Chaplain—Mrs. Eva Wells
Conductor—Mrs. Lula Weakley

Guard—Mrs. Jane DeFrates
Delegate—Mrs. Isabel Seymour
Alternate—Mrs. Lula Weakley.
The balance of the officers that were not filed will be appointed by the president. A joint installation will be held with the G. A. R. Post the second Friday in January.

Mound Women's Country Club

The regular meeting of the Mound Women's club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James H. Caldwell and Miss Amanda Pfeil.

A report was given of the work done for the Social Service League and it was planned to continue this work. The president appointing the following committee to take charge of the work Mrs. A. H. Dollear, Mrs. James Caldwell and Mrs. George Gilbert. A sufficient sum of money to purchase necessary supplies was voted by the club.

Resolutions of respect were read by the resolution committee chairman and accepted, and a copy of the resolution was sent to the family and to each paper in memory of its lately lamented member, Mrs. Virginia Daniels, the first member of the club to have passed away.

It was announced that a Y. W. C. A. worker would have a place on the January program. The president appointed the following standing committees: Committee on resolutions—Mrs. John W. Groves, chairman;

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Committee composed of Mrs. John H. Dollear, chairman; Mrs. James H. Caldwell, Mrs. V. R. Riley and Mrs. George Gilbert.

Miss Janette Powell of the Illinois Woman's College faculty gave two characteristic readings of the Christmas spirit which were enjoyed by all present.

Refreshments were served by the hostess after a delightful social hour was enjoyed by all.

The club adjourned to meet at the home of Mrs. A. F. Kitter on the second Friday in January.

SOME MINERS STILL RELUCTANT TO WORK

Want to See Circular Letter from National Officials Before Going Into Mines—More Normal Conditions Next Week.

A telegraphic story gives the welcome news that coal conservation orders placed by the public utility commission of Illinois have been rescinded, effective Sunday at midnight. Notice of this action came by telephone Friday afternoon to Mayor Crabtree as chief executive of the city, and as a member of the committee appointed at the recent conference of mayors and utility men held in Springfield. While the commission regulations have been rescinded, the rules laid down by the national fuel administration are still effective. However, there are indications from Washington that these will be rescinded or at least revised just as quickly as conditions make it possible.

While miners in some parts of the state returned to work yesterday, there are comparatively few mining coal in the Springfield district. In the Springfield sub-district, which includes the mines at Thayer, Virden, Auburn, Girard, and a number of other cities, the miners are still reluctant to return to work until they had received the circular letter that the officials at Indianapolis have issued.

In southern Illinois, that is in Marion, Williamson, and Franklin counties and some adjoining territory, there are a great many extreme radicals and they are known to have declared that they will not return to work until President Lewis of the International organization resigns. However, those who are in touch with the coal mining industry do not feel that the conditions are alarming. They think that as soon as the printed notices have been received by the various locals that the great majority of men will return to work. The pressure will be too strong for them to long resist.

To Defect Shipments
Frank Farrington, president of the Illinois organization, yesterday pointed out to reluctant Illinois miners that their position will become worse instead of better if they refuse to produce coal now when work has already been resumed in Indiana and other nearby states.

Somewhere near normal production is hoped for beginning with Monday. Yesterday J. W. Baptist was in Springfield to see what will be the prospect for early movement of Springfield coal to Jacksonville. He was informed there that while the mines expect to be running in a nearly normal way beginning Monday, that shipments of coal will not be made until there has been disposition of the eastern coal now on the tracks of Illinois railroads shipped for the purpose of relieving the acute situation existing in this state.

Country sausage and spare ribs, fancy cuts of high quality beef roasts and steaks. Jeff Cruise Meat Market, Illinois phone 1627.

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As millions of Americans know it today, is an agent of happiness and health. It was originated in 1907 by Miss Emily P. Bissell of Wilmington, Delaware, who learned through Jacob Riis of somewhat similar seals that were sold in Norway for the purpose of raising funds with which to fight tuberculosis.

Miss Bissell persuaded the American Red Cross to take up the idea with the result that seals were sold in a limited number of communities in 1908. The sale yielded a revenue of approximately \$2,000. The Red Cross then decided to issue the seal each year and to turn the proceeds over to the National Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated societies for the purpose of financing the campaign against tuberculosis. The number of seals sold in America increased by leaps and bounds until in 1917 the total reached 180,000,000.

This year the seals are again on sale beginning Dec. 1st. More than half a billion seals have been printed for distribution to state and local agents. In addition to the seals "Health Bonds" in denominations ranging from \$5.00 to \$100.00 are to be sold in lieu of seals to large contributors who do not send out a sufficient quantity of mail in December to make use of all the seals they would like to purchase. The combined quotas of all the state organizations call for more than \$6,500,000 to carry out the intensive educational campaign being conducted by the National Tuberculosis Association and its 1000 affiliated societies.

TAYLOR'S SOAP SALE
17 Boxes Odd Brands
\$5.00 Box

ROBERT COOPER
PAINFULLY INJURED

Robert Cooper of Lynville received a painful injury about 11:30 Friday night when his automobile backfired as he was attempting to crank it, he was striking him on the nose. He was attended by Dr. W. P. Duncan, who dressed the injury.

JURY SERVICE AMONG DUTIES OF CITIZENSHIP

States Attorney Robinson Gives Views on This Subject—Many Reluctant to Testify.

Some things about law enforcement and the duties of citizenship as a state's attorney sees them were told to members of the Rotary club at the weekly luncheon Friday at the Pacific Hotel. State's Attorney Carl E. Robinson was the speaker introduced by President H. M. Capps. Mr. Robinson spoke in an informal way and made it plain in the beginning that he was not complaining about conditions here in Morgan county, but referring to facts as he lay down a path here and elsewhere. He spoke particularly first of the reluctance that many citizens have against going to a jury and the entire unwillingness of many good citizens to testify as to information they may have about unlawfulness.

Shy at Jury Service.
It is a generally acknowledged fact that most business men dislike very much to serve on a jury. Such a service means to them a sacrifice of both time and money. It takes away from a man a day for his services and if a busy business man happens to get upon a jury and is "tied up" in court for a day or two or a longer period of time he feels that the sacrifice is entirely too great.

Mr. Robinson pointed to jury service as a matter of duty and declared that men who believe in courts and in justice should be willing to share the responsibility, to make the necessary sacrifice of the day's pay allowed is greater than they commonly earn or because it is much easier to sit and listen to evidence or argument than it is to perform some kind of labor. According to Mr. Robinson it is a distinct advantage to a state's attorney in the prosecution of a case to find this reluctance on the part of citizens.

Unwilling to Testify.
Referring to the unwillingness of citizens to become involved as witnesses in state prosecutions, Mr. Robinson without names related several happenings in Jacksonville to prove his statement. He said that it is a common thing for a state's attorney and for other officers whose work it is to enforce laws to receive anonymous letters telling them of alleged wrong doing in this locality or that. Those who write these letters often have the information at hand, but do not use their names because of the fear that they may be called upon to testify. "Others come to my office," said Mr. Robinson, "and tell of alleged violation of law but insist that they want no one to know that they told me about it and express their entire unwillingness to testify. Now under the law someone must file a complaint in cases of law violation and then there must be evidence of a kind to convince the jury if convictions are to follow."

"These matters I have been telling about are not new facts but I am mentioning them because they are facts that men looking toward constantly to bettered conditions should keep in mind and recognize."
Mr. Robinson referred to the need of public sentiment to bring about enforcement of laws. He said that the fact that Mayor Crabtree was able to persuade a few score of citizens of Jacksonville to serve as traffic policemen was a movement which put a practical end to speeding in a way that would not have been possible thru the use of a large force of policemen.
Dr. C. E. Rammelkam and T. M. Tomlinson took part in the discussion following Mr. Robinson's strong address. Before the speaking began there was mass singing led by W. W. Gillham with Willard Wesner at the piano.

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NO LABOR "UNREST."
Agnes Reppier in Life.
The demand of the Brooklyn plumbers for a \$10-a-day wage, dating from January 1, suggests the probable fulfillment of Charles Dudley Warner's prophecy, spoken thirty-five years ago. He was then paying his masons \$4 a day, and was struck by the serenity, the wholesome restfulness, with which they consumed the hours in slumber.

"I have reason to believe," he observed thoughtfully, "that when the wages of mechanics are raised to \$8 and \$10 a day, the workmen will not come at all; they will merely seep their cards."
The phrase "labor unrest" seems curiously inappropriate. The laborer is not unreluctant. He is willing to rest all the time, and he is doing it. He "walks out" and rests upon every conceivable or inconceivable provocation. What he dislikes is work, and small blame to him! Everybody writes and talks beautifully about work, but nobody wants to do it; least of all the individual referred to by agitators as the laboring man.

"Work is an old-fashioned way of making a living," said a wise and observant countrywoman, "and folks are getting tired of it."

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December 15—Fred Simpson, 4 miles southeast of Murrayville. 68 acres of fine prairie land. Cattle, sheep, hogs, mules and hay.
Dec. 16—J. R. Knapp, two miles south of Nortonville. Six horses, 10 thoroughbred Poland China sows; 50 stock hogs, 15 cattle, farm implements.
Dec. 17—Robert Smith, 2 miles north of Woodson, closing out sale.
Dec. 18—Charles A. Campbell, closing out sale, 6 miles northwest of Tallula; 40 mules and horses; 50 cattle and implements.
Dec. 19—Joe Wilson, 6 miles southwest of city. Horses, cattle and fine line of hogs.
Dec. 20—The partition sale of the John German estate at the court house at 2 o'clock. 210 acres of good farming land southwest of the city; also one lot in city.
December 23—W. E. McCurley, one and one half miles south of Woodson.
December 30—W. W. Crabtree, 2 miles south of Murrayville, Ill.
Dec. 31—Albert Lamb, 4 miles south of Murrayville, closing out sale, good brood sows, horses and corn.
Jan. 14—G. S. Beekman, closing out sale; 2 miles southeast of Pisgah; good mules, about 25 Chester White bred sows and other good stuff.
January 15—J. V. Breckon & Son, 7 miles southeast of Murrayville; horses, cattle, hogs, implements, corn; and 600 bales of hay.
Jan. 21—Austin Patterson, 4 miles northwest of city. Pure bred Poland Chinas.
Feb. 3—D. B. Green, six miles north of city, general farm sale.
Feb. 11—R. S. McKinney, 7 miles west of city. Pure bred Poland China—Bred Sow sale.
Feb. 20—Lester Reed. Pure Bred Durocs.

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WITH SIMPLE HOME MADE REMEDY

Can Make Pint at Home and Costs Little, Says Leading
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 Special Study of Catarrh.

**Says: Inflamed Nostrils
 Invite Influenza**

People who say that catarrh is a disease not to be taken seriously are harshly rebuked by a Kentucky druggist who has for years been much interested in the growth of this loathsome, yet altogether too common disease.

He claims that the sore, tender, inflamed membrane of the nostrils and throat is a prolific breeding ground for germs—not only the germs of influenza, but many other kinds as well.

If people would only stop experimenting for two weeks and try a simple remedy made of Mentholized Arceine mixed with enough boiled water to make a full pint, half of the catarrh in this country would be abolished.

It's really no joke for people who don't know about this simple remedy to be constantly sniffing and snuffing, blowing and hawking, when all these obnoxious symptoms as well as the foul discharge can be made to disappear in a few days.

Ask for three-quarters of an ounce of Mentholized Arceine—that's all you need and after you have mixed it with enough boiled water to make a pint, gargle the throat twice daily and snuff or spray some up the nostrils, as directed.

The tender nostrils will soon lose their soreness, heal up, and be clean and healthy.

Important Reminder: Just as soon as anyone in the family gets a cold in the head, check it at once with this same medicine.

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HOSPITAL AID SOCIETY SALE TODAY
 The Passavant Hospital Aid Society will have a continued sale today at L. F. O'Donnell's rooms, 228 West State street. Quits and other articles will be sold and the ladies will be thankful for the loan of vases and articles to adorn the apartment.

We received an unexpected lot of stationery in tints which will be put on our 1c sale today. Luly-Davis Drug Co. Both Stores.

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MEREDOSIA MASONS ELECT OFFICERS

Officers for Ensuing Year Named By Meredosia Lodge—Frank Heinz Dies at Missouri Valley, Iowa—Other Meredosia News Notes.

Meredosia, Dec. 12.—At the regular annual meeting Tuesday evening of the R. and S. Masons the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

T. I. M.—O. W. Wilcox.
 I. D. M.—C. F. Jones.
 P. C. W.—H. C. Wegehoff.
 Treasurer—Edward Streuter.
 Recorder—H. D. Berger.
 C. of G.—Joseph Schmitt.
 C. of C.—T. W. Burdick.
 Steward—Frank Conkright.
 Sentinel—C. P. Hedrick.

Dr. H. L. Lake and wife were Jacksonville visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Hamman was a visitor in Versailles Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Butcher were visitors in Beardstown Tuesday.

J. F. Brockhouse and son Russell attended the funeral of a relative in Arenzville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Yost are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter in their home Wednesday morning.

Our business hours have been running on short hours the past week opening at 9 a. m., and closing at five in accordance with the fuel and light conservation rules.

Rev. G. T. Wetzel of Jacksonville was a business visitor Tuesday.

William Nolen who has been riding the Steamer Golden Eagle has returned home for the winter months.

Frank Korseinger was a Jacksonville visitor Tuesday.

Notice was received by friends here Wednesday of the death of Frank Heinz at Missouri Valley, Iowa, Nov. 29th where he was employed as engineer by the Missouri Valley Electric Light plant.

He was taken suddenly ill on Thanksgiving Day after eating a hearty dinner. He was rushed to a hospital at Onawa, Iowa, and was operated on the following day and the following morning he passed away. The cause of his death being due to a severe attack of appendicitis. Funeral services were held at Onawa on Monday, where interment also took place.

He was born in Meredosia, Aug. 2nd, 1857 and grew to manhood here. He was married to Miss Minnie Caroline Gable Aug. 9, 1888 at Jacksonville, Ill., who with the two daughters, Mrs. S. B. Butcher of Onawa, Ia., and Charlotte Heinz, residing at home, one grand daughter Dorothy Allene Butcher, one brother, C. E. Heinz, four sisters, Mrs. M. F. Davis and Mrs. A. S. Boles of Coffeyville, Kansas, Mrs. H. M. McNeal of Joplin, Mo., and Mrs. William Bruce of Hutchinson, Kansas, survive the deceased.

PRE-EMINENTLY THE GIFT STORE FOR EVERYBODY
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READING ALOUD AT HOME.
 From the Spokane Spokesman-Review.

The season of long evenings is here. A good use for the gift of time and in-door hours is to revive the practice once almost universal of reading aloud in the family circle. Those now of middle age or older remember the pleasure and profit of such evenings in their youth, and regret the noticeable discontinuance of this beneficial custom. The great number of popular periodicals, the enlargement of the daily newspapers in scope and in number of pages, the continuous availability of the motor car and the movies have resulted in a neglect of good literature, current and standard. This is not well, for good literature is a great educator, and a friend, once made, that never fails or dies.

PUBLIC SALE.
 Dec. 17, commencing at 10:30, I will sell all my livestock, implements and harness; about 100 shocks corn; about 800 bus. corn in crib; 200 bus. oats. Lunch: Ladies' Aid Woodson Christian church.

ROBERT T. SMITH
 "SHIMMYING" RILEY.
 From Life.

And the revised Riley will doubtless read:
 When the frost is on the pumpkin.
 And the shudder's in the frock.

NOW WITH CLOVER LEAF
 Miss Fay Skinner has resigned her position at Waddell's. She has accepted a position with the Clover Leaf Insurance Co.

PUBLIC SALE
 Wednesday, Dec. 17th, 3 miles east of Murrayville, consisting of horses, cattle, hogs, sheep, farm implements, hay and corn.

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THE OBSERVATORY

"Deportation and Naturalization," says a headline in the New York Times. In most Bolshevist cases, we are in favor of both, in the order named by the Times.

The manager of the Emporia Telephone Company sent out a request to patrons last week asking them during the fuel shortage to use the lines only when necessary. Operators were then instructed to keep on the lookout for telephone gossipers and to cut off such lines as were being used for gossip. Twenty lines were cut off the first day. Nineteen of the gossipers were women and the other was a preacher.

Editing a newspaper is a "real man's job" nowadays, which may explain why it is being shifted to women in so many cases.

Santa Claus is going to wear "kack" in Excelsior Springs, Mo. The American Legion there is going to be "big brother" to the poor children Christmas.

The eastern doctor who predicts an epidemic of 1920 doesn't surprise a great many of us who have been kept scratching ever since the war began.

Eggs have reached the dollar mark in Chicago. Some time ago Egg and Nog, like Tom and Jerry, dissolved partnership, and it now appears that both members of the erstwhile firm will be absent from our Christmas boards.

Notwithstanding the fact that most reputable astronomers take no stock in the report that the world will come to an end December 17, a good many people believe it, especially since that Chicago hotel man reduced his rates voluntarily.

The Distance.
 "How far is it to Toad Rock," asked a motorist whose car had balked on the Rumpus Ridge, Ark., road.

"Seven miles, as the crow flies," replied Gap Johnson. "Sixteen miles, as the Ford flitters."

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 Chocolate Creams, lb. 30c
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HERE FOR HOLIDAYS
 William Walter Pitner, a student of Illinois University at Champaign is visiting his mother Mrs. Ida Pitner at her home on E. Court street. He will be here for the holidays.

PROGRAM OF HOME ECONOMICS INSTITUTE

Problems of Home-Making And the Varied Duties That Are Connected With Work of Home Will Be Considered.

The problems of home-making and all the varied duties that are connected with the work of the home are scheduled for their due amount of consideration and discussion at the Home Economics Institute. There is scarcely a single number on this interesting and varied program which the busy housewife, however busy she may be, can afford to miss. In these days of high prices any information on such subjects as "Economy in Dress," or "How to Choose Our Food" will, of course, be gladly received. These are only two of the timely and worth while questions which are to be considered. Look over the program given below and plan to attend as many sessions as possible.

Program.
 Monday, December 15—Afternoon at 1:30.

Welcome—Dean Austin.
 Cold Pack Canning of Fresh Meats—Bertha M. Jones.
 Home Making as a Profession—Juliet Lita Bane.

Tuesday Morning, December 16 at 10:30.

The Food Calendar and How to Use It—Nina B. Crigler.
 Recreation for the Family—Juliet Lita Bane.

Tuesday Afternoon, December 16, 1:30.

Organization of the Home Bureau—Juliet Lita Bane.

Table Service, Demonstration—Ruth Hills' Class.
 Wednesday Morning, December 17, 10:30.

How do we Choose our Food—Nina B. Crigler.
 Phases of the Farm Bureau of Interest to Women—Geo. Kendall.
 Economy in Dress—Edna L. Storrs.

Wednesday Afternoon, Dec. 17, 1:30—The Home Bureau and the Business of Housekeeping—Nina Crigler.

BACK AT THE OLD STAND WESTMINSTER SUNDAY SCHOOL
 Room will be nice and warm tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock sharp. Make it a bumper attendance.

A TITLED UNION IN PARIS
 The La Presse de Paris announced recently the marriage on November 12, of Prince Sixte of Bourbon-ParmaU and Mile. de la Rochefoucauld-Doudeauville, at the church of St. Francois Xavier in Paris.

The groom, an officer in the Belgian army, in which he fought throughout the war, is a brother of the consort of the grand duchess of Luxembourg, who was in the Austrian army. Another brother, Xavier, also served under the Belgian tricolor.

The three are brothers of Zita, ex-empress of Austria. The bride is the daughter of the Duc de Doudeauville, chevalier of the Legion of Honor and wearer of the Croix de Guerre, and the duchess of Doudeauville.

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JUST AS GOOD.
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Bobby, just home from his first visit to the country, was telling the folks of its wonders. "And say, ma," he said, "out on the farm they get milk from cows, and it's just as good as any."

GRACE CHAPEL

Timor Smith was a business caller in Waverly Saturday.

Douglas Turley and family have moved into Mrs. Fred Ginder's property in Concord where they will make their home.

Willie Smith of Keokuk, Iowa, spent a few days this week with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Govei and family visited Sunday with Vinton Bouris.

Mrs. Alma Smith of Canton came down Tuesday to attend the funeral services for Mrs. Alice Charlesworth and is spending a few days with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stocker and children of Beardstown visited at the home of Bert Longhary last week.

Floyd Goodpasture and wife visited at Wall Mason's Sunday.

Fred Braner and wife were Jacksonville callers Wednesday afternoon.

SPECIAL SALE
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North Bound
No. 10 "The Hummer," daily 1:32 a m
No. 70, Chicago-Florida Ex-
press, daily 6:20 a m
No. 16 arrives from St.
Louis, daily except Sunday 12:06 p m
No. 14, Bloomington and
Peoria local, arrives at ... 4:55 p m
No. 30 arrives from St.
Louis, daily 8:55 p m
South and West Bound
No. 31, St. Louis Accommo-
dation, departs daily 6:46 a m
No. 45, St. Louis-Kansas
City local, daily 10:15 a m
No. 17, St. Louis-Mexico
City local, daily except
Sunday.

WABASH
East Bound
No. 28, daily 2:28 a m
No. 4, daily 8:10 a m
No. 72, local frt. ex. Sunday 10:20 a m
No. 17, St. Louis-Mexico
City local, daily 8:40 p m
No. 62, daily except Sunday 5:49 p m
No. 12, daily 9:00 p m
No trains stop at
West Bound
No. 53, daily except Sunday 6:34 a m
No. 3, daily 8:30 a m
No. 73, local frt. ex. Sunday 12:20 p m
No. 9, daily 12:45 p m
No. 15, daily 6:20 p m

CHICAGO, PEORIA AND ST. LOUIS
North Bound
No. 28, daily 7:40 a m
No. 38, daily 3:05 p m
South Bound
No. 25, daily 1:35 a m
No. 35, daily 7:16 p m

BURLINGTON ROUTE
North Bound
No. 47, daily except Sunday 11:30 a m
No. 11, daily except Sunday 3:30 p m
South Bound
No. 12, daily 6:56 a m
No. 48, daily except Sunday 6:16 a m

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET
Chicago, Dec. 12.—Hogs—Re-
ceipts 25,000; estimated: tomor-
row 10,000; market steady; bulk
\$12.85 @ \$13.25; top \$13.40;
heavy \$12.85 @ \$13.25; medium
\$12.90 @ \$13.30; light \$12.85 @
\$13.25; light light \$12.75 @
\$13.10; heavy packing sows,
smooth \$12.25 @ \$12.75; pack-
ing sows, rough \$11.75 @ \$12.25;
pigs \$12.00 @ \$13.00.

Cattle—Receipts 10,000; esti-
mated tomorrow 8,000; market
lower; beef steers, medium and
heavy weight, choice and prime
\$13.25 @ \$20.75; medium and
good \$11.00 @ \$18.25; common
\$8.50 @ \$11.00; light weight,
good and choice, \$13.25 @ \$20.25;
common and medium \$8.00 @
\$13.25; butcher cattle, heifers
\$6.40 @ \$15.00; cows \$6.25 @
\$13.75; canners and cutters \$5.00
@ \$6.00; veal calves \$16.75 @
\$17.75; feeder steers \$7.00 @
\$12.25; stocker steers \$6.00 @
\$10.50; western range, steers
\$7.50 @ \$15.00; cows and heifers
\$6.50 @ \$12.50.

Sheep—Receipts 17,000; esti-
mated tomorrow 7,000; market
unsettled; lambs \$15.00 @ \$17.00;
culls and common \$11.00 @
\$14.75; ewes, medium, good and
choice \$8.00 @ \$10.00; culls and
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R. R. No. 1. 12-10-12t

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igraph Co. 12-9-11t.

WANTED—Woman to cook, one
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phone 50-412. 12-5-11t

FOR RENT—Houses always.
The Johnston Agency. 12-1-11t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fresh pork and beef
sold at Miller's Grocery on
Brook street. Call up and re-
ceive prompt delivery. Ill. phone
1684. 12-9-6t.

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington
cockerels and pullets. Bell
phone Alexander 51-3. 12-5-12t

FOR SALE—Modern 3 room
house with bath, 213 N. church
street. Call City Elevator Ill.
phone 8; Bell phone 174 or
Bell phone 552. 11-15-11t

FOR SALE—108 acres, joins city
limits of county seat, 106 acres
in cultivation, all under woven
wire fence. Spring and run-
ning water; two wells. Nine
room house built 1913. Good
barn 30x36. Will grow alfalfa,
clover, corn, wheat and oats.
This is an ideal stock or dairy
farm. Address Chas. Sayre
Blanch, Stilwell, Okla. 12-9-13t.

FOR SALE—7-room modern
house west end, 1 block from
car; good barn and garage. Ad-
dress "XYZ" care Journal. 12-7-6t

FOR SALE—Majestic Coal Range
and Detroit Jewel Gas Range
at 519 So. Main street. 12-12-3t

FOR SALE—McFarland Six in
good condition. Inquire
Reeve & Curtis, West Morgan.
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FOR SALE—Three thoroughbred
Chester White hogs. Fred O.
Nelson. Bell phone 985-3. 12-12-3t

FOR SALE—Overcoat in good
condition. H. Johnson, Tailor.
12-13-2t.

FOR SALE—Baled timothy hay.
W. E. Masters. Ill. phone 46.
Murrayville, Ill. 12-13-6t.

FOR SALE—West Side property.
All modern; close to car line.
Address, E. D. care Journal.
12-13-12t.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—80 acres 3/4 mile
from county seat town, 72
acres in cultivation, balance
timber pasture. On state high-
way, two sets of improvements.
Three wells, one windmill, all
under woven wire fence. Ad-
dress Chas. Sayre Blanch, Stil-
well, Okla. 12-9-13t.

FOR SALE—920 acres, 12 miles
from Stilwell, Okla. 135 acres
in cultivation; 200 acres under
rail fence; 250 acres more til-
lable. Three tenant houses, 1
pond, 1 spring, one well. This
is a good stock ranch propo-
sition. Address owner, Chas.
Sayre Blanch, Stilwell Okla.
12-9-13t.

FOR SALE—Irish and sweet po-
tatoes, delivered. Ill. phone 86.
12-9-12t.

FOR SALE—Shetland pony, bug-
gy, harness. Pure bred white
Emden geese. Ill. Phone
50-825. 12-5-11t

FOR SALE—Pigs; 8 weeks old.
1002 E. Lafayette Ave. 12-10-6t

FOR SALE—Or trade, a small
piece of land. Ill. phone 1334.
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FOR SALE—German heater and
good cook stove. 740 E. North.
12-2-11t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I have
some good farms and city prop-
erty for sale or trade. What
have you to offer? S. T. Erik-
son. 11-21-11t

FOR BEST GRADE ROOFING
at lowest possible prices call
the Blackburn elevator. 11-2-11t

FOR SALE—Hundreds of pairs of
radies shoes, 25c to \$1.50 pair.
Buy while they last. Dunn's,
207 E. Morgan St. 11-30-11t

FOR SALE—Modera 7 room
house and three lots, 702 E.
State. Apply M. H. Doolin.
403 N. Main. 11-12-11t

FOR SALE—Fresh Country Lard
and hams. Bell Phone 950-3.
12-7-6t

FOR SALE—Ford; good condi-
tion with demountable wheels.
Call Bell phone, Alexander 12-2
11-26-11t

FOR SALE—Stoll Auto Tents,
for tourists. Massey's, West
Court. 11-4-11t

FOR SALE—420 acres, two miles
of county seat, 250 acres in cul-
tivation, balance pasture and
orchard land. One ten room
house built in 1914, large barn.
Two three-room tenant houses.
Good roads. Telephone and
rural route. Loan company
will loan \$17,000.00 on this
place. Address Chas. Sayre
Blanch, Stilwell, Okla. 12-9-13t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five
passenger touring car in first
class condition. Apply 193
East Morton avenue, or Illinois
Phone 50-947. 11-16-11t

FOR SALE—1 1913 Rambler 5-
passenger (suitable for truck);
3 1918 Nash Six 7-passenger,
like new; 2 1915 Jeffery Six
5-passenger (slightly damag-
ed). Call Ill. 1636 or Bell 271
or apply 315-10 E. State street.
Jacobs Motor Car Co. 12-12-6t

FOR SALE—One good saddle
horse; one driving mare. Call
620 Hardin avenue. Bell phone
441. 12-12-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS—
The Johnston Agency. 12-1-11t

ANYONE wanting wood sawed
leave address at 325 E. North
St. 12-11-6t

CANARIES—Choice singers, Amer-
ican, not German; females,
cages, seed nests, nesting; gold
fish, globes, food, moss,
pigeons, doves, rabbits, guinea
pigs, other pets and rare cage
birds. Bartlett's Pet Shop, 221
N. Main. 12-10-6t

SALE BILLS—If you are plan-
ning a public sale you can se-
cure bills at the Journal office
at reasonable rates. Prompt
and satisfactory service as-
sured. 9-12-11t

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate
security. M. C. Hook & Co.
11-26-11t

MAILING LISTS, including auto
owners and farmers, Special
art designs, folds, copy, form
letters, addressing, Robinson's
Adv Service, Springfield, Ill.
11-23-11t

CITY TRANSFER CO. moving
and hauling. Call James Mc-
Bride or Ralph Green. Ill.
phone 1690. Bell 490.

HEMSTITCHING and Picot Edge
Work, at Singer Sewing Ma-
chine Co., 214 So. Sandy St. Let
us help plan your Christmas
gifts. 11-19-27t

LOST and FOUND
LOST—Between Orleans and Ar-
nold, suitcase with initials W.
A. K. Finder return to Kinnett
Store, Orleans. 12-9-3t.

LOST—Bay mare, blind in one
eye, with a blemish on right
foot. Lost between Alexander
and Prentice. Belongs to Mil-
ton Williams. 12-13-3t.

LOST—Ford chain on Mound
road between Point and Jack-
sonville. Call Ill. 953-2. 12-13-3t.

STRAYED—Friday morning from
502 East street, two
young pigs. Reward for re-
turn or call Illinois phone 50-
922. 12-13-11t.

DOWNWARD REVISION

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Sensa-
tional movements of money, which
jumped from 8 to 15 per cent and
then back to the minimum rate,
and the precarious condition at-
tending the international credit
situation effected another down-
ward revision of prices on the
stock exchange today.
In the course of the readjust-
ment during which speculative
issues, notably motors, oils and
steels, registered extreme de-
clines of three to fifteen points,
many margined accounts were
closed out, indicating that some
of the soft spots created by last
month's upheaval still remained.
British demand bills fell to the
low level of 4.6 1/2, a fraction of
a cent under yesterday's low, but
other foreign remittances, espe-
cially francs and lire, suggest-
ed that action was being taken
abroad to check the demoralizing
decline. The rally of the last
half hour was not wholly due to
the relaxation of money rates the
short interest doubtless covering
most of its contracts on the show-
ing made by the government rep-
ort. This was especially fav-
orable as to corn and winter
wheat, in which final estimates
were much in excess of the five
year average. Sales of stocks
amounted to 1,375,000 shares.
Bonds were heavy to weak,
speculative rails adding from
fractions to a point to their re-
cent steady decline. Liberty and
victory issues also eased for the
most part. Total sales (par value)
aggregated \$29,400,000.

NEW YORK BOND LIST
U. S. 2s registered 100
U. S. 2s coupon 100
U. S. 3s registered 88 1/2
U. S. 3s coupon 105 1/2
U. S. 4s registered 105 1/2
U. S. 4s coupon 105 1/2

PARTITION SALE.

Of Valuable farm lands, consisting
of 319 acres, more or less, situ-
ated between Chapin and
Bluffs, in Morgan County, Illi-
nois, and a residence property
in Bluffs, Scott Co., Illinois, be-
longing to the estate of ENOCH
THOLEN, deceased.

Morgan County ss.
In the Circuit Court thereof,
At the November Term, A. D.
1919.

Fred G. Tholen, vs. Rosa Engel-
brecht, et al. In Chancery.

Pursuant to a decree in said
cause, entered by said court at
said term, I, Henry W. English,
Master in Chancery for said coun-
ty, will, on Saturday, January
3rd, 1920, at the hour of 2:00
o'clock p. m., at the south door of
the court house, in the city of
Jacksonville, in the county of
Morgan and state of Illinois, sell
at public auction to the highest
and best bidder on the terms
hereinafter mentioned, the fol-
lowing described real estate, to-wit:

Lot Number One (1) of the
Northwest quarter of Section Five
(5);
Lot Number Two (2) of the
Northwest quarter of Section
Five (5);
The East half of Lot Number
One (1) of the Northeast quarter
of Section Six (6);
The East half of Lot Number
Two (2) of the Northeast quarter
of Section (6);
The Southeast quarter of the
Southeast quarter of Section Six,
(6), except One (1) acre thereof
now used for school purposes;
The Northeast quarter of the
Northeast quarter of Section
Seven (7);
All in township Fifteen

ANOTHER MURDER CASE ON COURT DOCKET

Timothy O'Connell of Brown County to be on Trial Monday—Alleged Crime Committed in 1917.

Monday the trial of Timothy O'Connell of Brown county is set for hearing in the Morgan county circuit court. This is the second murder trial which comes to this county on charge of venue at the present term. O'Connell was placed under indictment for the murder of Elwood Lent in September, 1917. The killing was done at Lent's home a short distance from LaGrange and about eight miles from Versailles.

According to the stories published at the time, O'Connell charged Lent with stealing a piece of gas pipe and that he was about to use it in the construction of a cane mill. Lent with the assistance of John Whited was engaged in building a rock furnace for a cane mill when O'Connell, who was returning from a trip to Versailles about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, drove by and without speaking. A section of gas pipe 12 or 14 feet long was lying across the timbers which were to be used in erecting the mill.

Used Shot Gun. O'Connell lived not far distant from the Lent home and a few minutes later armed with a shot gun he rushed upon the men from the underbrush. Placing the barrel of the gun against Whited's body with an oath he charged the man with stealing the gas pipe. Whited called to Lent, who was unharmed, a team of horses in the barn lot about 75 feet away. Lent answered and as he approached O'Connell, who had his shot gun raised, picked up a stick of wood several feet in length. When he had gone some distance toward the men, O'Connell turned the gun toward him and fired.

Nearly the whole charge took effect and Lent, who was carried into the house by his housekeeper and Whited, died before a physician arrived from Versailles. O'Connell immediately disappeared from the neighborhood and went to Beardstown. There he retained Judge W. H. Dieterich as his attorney. That night his attorney telephoned the authorities in Mt. Sterling that O'Connell was ready to surrender. The Brown county sheriff asked the authorities at Beardstown to arrest the man. This action was taken and early the following morning he was hurried to the Mt. Sterling jail.

The case dragged along from term to term and at the time of the murder the feeling was very strong against O'Connell. He was subsequently released on bail. He will ask acquittal on the ground of self defense.

In addition to Judge Dieterich the defendant retained Warren McNeff, of Mt. Sterling and Judge Hartzell of Carthage to defend him. Since the original proceedings were begun, Mr. McNeff has died. E. E. Vandeventer is the state's attorney of Brown county and he will be assisted by John F. Wahl of Quincy and State Attorney Carl E. Robinson of this city.

Change of Venue Asked. It was at the February term, 1918, that petition was filed in the Brown county court, asking that a change of venue be granted on the ground that it would be unable to secure a fair trial in Brown county. At the time of this petition the defendant was in jail in Adams county, where he had been removed.

Elwood Lent, who was the victim of the tragedy, was a man 67 years of age, a cripple, and had spent all of his life in Schuyler county. For a number of years he had been employed by Adolph Schmidt, lumberman, and had charge of a logging crew. He had been separated from his wife for a long period of years. His wife and grown son are residents of Beardstown.

SPECIAL SALE
on Xmas Candies.
Broken Mix, 30c lb.
Brilliant Mix, 40c lb.
Peanut Squares, 35c lb.
Peanut Brittle — Wrapped

Kisses
Chocolate Creams
And Full Assortment
of Pan Goods
PEACOCK INN

HERE FROM WASHINGTON
Miss Anne Stevenson is at her home, 1050 West College avenue, on a two weeks' furlough. Miss Stevenson is a reconstruction aide in the occupational therapy ward of the Walter Reed military hospital in Washington. After serving for several years as a successful teacher in the schools of Jacksonville, Miss Stevenson during the war period went to the national capital. Her services have been of such a kind that several advancements have been given and she is understood to have made a contract for another year.

BACK AT THE OLD STAND
WESTMINSTER SUNDAY SCHOOL
Room will be nice and warm tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock sharp. Make it a bumper attendance.

W. D. James, manager for Swift & Co. here, returned yesterday afternoon from a business trip to Chicago.

Deaths

Yeager.
Mrs. James Yeager died at her home in St. Louis Tuesday morning. She had been ill for several weeks, but death was not expected.

Deceased was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McArthur of Green and was born June 9, 1902 being at the time of her death, 17 years, 6 months and 12 days of age.

She was united in marriage to James Yeager, July 29, 1919. Besides her husband, she is survived by her parents and one brother, Northie of Green.

Mrs. Yeager was a member of the Christian church of Green and spent her life in that place and was highly regarded by a wide circle of friends who will sorrow to learn of her death.

Moss.
George W. Moss died at Passavant hospital at 4:30 o'clock Friday morning.

Deceased was born at the old Moss homestead, November 5, 1842, and practically all his life was spent in this county.

He was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Morrison in 1868, the, together with two sons and one daughter preceded him in death. There survive two sons, Charles A. Moss of Alexander and Charles Moss, Denver, Colo. He also leaves one brother, Jonathan Moss of Quincy.

The remains were removed to the undertaking parlors of Williamson and Gody and prepared for burial. The funeral will be held from the parlors, the time to be announced later.

A gift worth while.
One that is good for years and for every day in the year, a COLUMBIA GRAFO-NOLA

ANDRE & ANDRE

ROUTT HIGH LOSES TO PITTSFIELD HIGH

Local Leads Defeated By Score of 22 to 12—Game Was Clean and Fought Played Good Game—Pittsfield Has Strong Team This Year.

Route high lost to Pittsfield in the Pike county town Friday night by a score of 22 to 12. The game was a fast one and remarkably free from fouls, not one being called on either team.

Route was handicapped by the small playing floor which is hardly as large as the floor space at Liberty hall. However, in the second half they got to going and led Pittsfield.

Coach Conlin said over the long distance phone Friday night that he was well pleased with the showing his men made. He said Pittsfield had an unusually strong team this year composed of tall, rangy men who know the game thoroughly.

A peculiar feature of the game was the fact that 16 of Pittsfield's 22 points were made by the guards. The reason for this was that Route kept the forwards well covered but the floor is so small that a basket shot from the guard position is not as far as one from the middle of the floor on a regulation court.

Zell, Carson, Costello and Wolfe made Route's points. Costello played an especially brilliant offensive game. One of his shots, a basket which he threw while on his knees and drew forth from his hands from the spectators.

The lineup:
Pittsfield: F. G. F. T. T. S.
Moore, f. 2 0 4
Plattner, f. 2 0 2
Butler, c. 0 0 0
Walsh, g. 4 0 8
Keeney, g. 4 0 8
Totals 11 0 22
Route: F. G. F. T. S.
Zell, f. 2 0 2
Carson, f. 2 0 4
Costello, c. 2 0 4
Waulfo, c. 1 0 2
Gwin, g. 0 0 0
Totals 6 0 12
Referee—Brierly, Griggsville.

MURRAYVILLE EASTERN STAR ELECTS OFFICERS

Were Chosen at Meeting Held Friday Night — Mrs. Ruth Fuller New Worthy Matron.

Murrayville, Dec. 12.—Murrayville Chapter Order of the Eastern Star at its regular meeting held this evening elected Mrs. Ruth Fuller Worthy Matron. The other officers are:

CHANGE OF HOURS
The office hours of The Johnston Agency are now permanently made 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

CAPTAIN SWALES AT HOME
Capt. J. M. Swales arrived at his home, 422 South Clay avenue, yesterday. He has not yet recovered but was able to travel to the journey. His numerous friends hope to see him about soon.

JACKSONVILLE HIGH WINS OPENING GAME

Defeated Virginia Friday Night By Score of 24 to 19—Game Was Fast and Furnished Plenty of Excitement for Spectators—Lucas and Green Star.

Jacksonville High's basketball team started the season with a victory when it defeated Virginia High in David Prince Gymnasium Friday night by a score of 24 to 19.

The game was a fast one and kept the spectators on their toes throughout. Both teams were over anxious and the result was many fouls being called, to it seemed some of them should have been passed unnoticed. It was these fouls that kept Virginia in the running as Skiles threw six out of seven tries in the first half which kept his team within shooting distance.

While Jacksonville supporters had lots of "pep" and cheered their team with yells before the game yet there were many who did not believe that the team would be able to take Virginia's measure. The Cass county aggregation does not play football and therefore starts basketball as soon as school opens. The team also had a victory to its credit over Route high and entered the game with all the confidence in the world.

Jacksonville Shows Form.
Jacksonville not only had the confidence but the men showed wonderful form when it is taken into consideration that owing to schedule at the David Prince building the squad cannot use the gymnasium for practice. However, Coach Hufford has been working his men at the Y. M. C. A. in the mornings and they displayed a form that surprised their most ardent supporters.

Coach Hufford also was handicapped by the loss of Randall, star guard, who is suffering from an infection in one side of his face. One of his best prospects for center is also sick in bed. However, Hufford showed us a center in Hunter who will be able to hold his own with any of the players before the season closes.

While Lucas and Green were the particular stars of the game, all of the team played sterling basketball. They were fast and showed a class of team work that baffled the Virginia guards throughout. Green was especially good in feeding the ball to Lucas who showed deadly accuracy in his shooting. Green also made a fine shot which went true to the bell flat on his back after making it. Woods and Arter held down the guard positions in good form and were able to break up most of Virginia's plays while Hunter gave Meade, the veteran Virginia center, all he wanted. Hunter and Woods left the game in the second half because of personal fouls and were replaced by Molohon and Goebel.

Skiles Star on Free Throws.
For Virginia McNeely and Skiles were the stars. Skiles was especially accurate in throwing baskets from fouls and it was his work that kept Virginia always close enough to be dangerous. McNeely did some good work in the second half and sent chills down the spectators' backs by his work which threatened to tie the score except for the whistle blowing Meade, who is one of Virginia's best point makers was kept covered so well by Jacksonville that he never had a chance to score.

When the game started neither team was able to locate the basket for several minutes. Jacksonville finally fouled and Skiles broke the ice for Virginia by throwing the basket. Lucas untied the count a moment later when he made a ringer for Jacksonville's first points.

There after whenever Virginia would throw a foul basket Jacksonville would retaliate by throwing a field basket. This resulted in the score being 16 to 8 in favor of Jacksonville at the end of the first half.

When the second half opened Jacksonville immediately got four points on two field baskets by Lucas. They maintained this relative lead until just before the game ended when Virginia got her bearings and McNeely was hitting the ring with a regularity that threatened to tie the score.

The game ended, however when Virginia had totaled 19 points. **The lineup:**
Jacksonville: F. G. F. T. S.
Lucas, f. 8 0 16
Green, f. 8 0 4
Hunter, c. 1 0 2
Molohon, c. 0 0 0
Arter, g. 0 0 0
Woods, g. 1 0 2
Goebel, g. 0 0 0
Totals 24 0 24
Virginia: F. G. F. T. S.
Skiles, f. 2 7 11
McNeely, f. 4 6 8
Meade, c. 0 0 0
Wardell, g. 0 0 0
Dawidow, g. 0 0 0
Totals 19 7 19
Referee—Julius, Indiana University; Umpire—Barnes, Illinois College; Scorer—Ruth, Illinois; Fierke.

PRE-EMINENTLY THE GIFT STORE FOR EVERYBODY
ANDRE & ANDRE
The Store where the Christmas Spirit reigns.

P. L. Pratt of Detroit, Mich., was a business caller in the city yesterday.

FILE CLAIMS
All persons having claims against Morgan county are requested to file them in this office before Saturday, Dec. 13th.

George L. Rises, County Clerk.

A great variety of men's Christmas good at Knoles'.

ATTENDED MEETING AT ALTON FRIDAY

Local Men Were in Attendance at Meeting of Jacksonville-St. Louis Division of Mississippi Valley Highway Association—H. K. Chenoweth Elected Secretary.

Charles M. Strawn, LeRoy Craig and Vincent Riley were in Alton Friday in attendance at the meeting of the Jacksonville-St. Louis division of the Mississippi Valley Highway Association.

There was a large attendance of good roads advocates from the southern part of the division. Especially large were the delegations from Carrollton, Jerseyville, Kane, Greenfield and Medora.

These delegations went to place their claims for the new route before the executive committee which will have the settling of the question. No action will be taken on this matter, however, until a later date.

H. K. Chenoweth was elected secretary of the division at the Alton meeting which was held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms in the Mineral Springs hotel.

Mr. Strawn while in Alton talked with promoters of the "Better Way" about having the route run thru Alexander to Peoria instead of further east thru Curran.

The undersigned will sell at the Negus farm, Dec. 17, commencing at 11 o'clock a. m., some fine extra milk cows, span mules, horses, 14 head hogs; 950 bus. corn, farm implements.

DR. REDDISH RETURNS TO MOTHER'S HOME
Says He Will Show Neighbors He Did Not Kill His Father

Dr. Horace Augustus Reddish, acquitted at Jacksonville, Ill., Monday night of the charge of murdering his wealthy father, Stephen M. Reddish, at Jerseyville last April, returned to Jerseyville yesterday, accompanied by his wife, his son Hubert, his mother, Mrs. Sarah Reddish, and by John W. Mackelden and wife formerly of St. Louis, the former of whom has been freed of a similar charge as that on which Dr. Reddish went to trial.

They were taken by Dr. Reddish's cousin, Herbert Gunterman, to the home of Mrs. Sarah Reddish, on West Exchange street, where Dr. Reddish announced he will continue to live among Jerseyville and Jersey county people and show them that he is "all the jury said he was—innoent of this terrible crime."

"My wife and son," continued Dr. Reddish, "will live with me. I know I have many friends in Jersey county who never believed me guilty and who stood by me loyally, and to these I feel grateful and will show them their confidence in me has not been misplaced."

Mackelden said: "I was confident all the time that nothing would come of the charges preferred against me. That was done, I feel, to discredit the alibi."

A crowd of friends of the Reddish family met the train on which Dr. Reddish returned to Jerseyville, and among these were many tenants from the Reddish farms west of Jerseyville.—Globe-Democrat.

LISTEN
We offer you today a fine whipped cream Bon Bon at 40c the lb. It will pay you to buy today and hold them until Christmas.

MERRIGAN'S

JACKSONVILLE REBEKAHS ELECT

Officers Are Chosen for Ensuing Term—Social Hour and Refreshments Follow.

Jacksonville Lodge No. 13 Rebekahs at the regular meeting held in Odd Fellows Temple on East State street Friday evening elected officers for the ensuing term. Following the election a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The officers are:

Noble Grand—Joyce Estaque.
Vice Grand—Ruth Cummings.
Recording Secretary—Mary A. Olds.
Financial Secretary—Janet Watkinson.
Treasurer—Blanche Cully.
Trustees—Jewell E. Scott, George Brown, Tom Calley, Mary R. Davis, Alice Cummings.
Lodge Deputy—Nettie Brown.

JUMBO PEANUTS

The world's best nut for all purposes. New crop now in. Order your holiday supply now. SCHRAG-CULLY Coffee Co.

ERNEST CARTER IMPROVING

Ernest Carter, who was so severely injured by a fall while working on a building a few days since, was obliged to undergo a very severe and dangerous operation after being removed to Passavant Hospital, but at last accounts he was doing as well as could be expected, though he is in a serious condition.

MARKET AND BAZAR
The Loyal Women of the Christian church will have an all day market and bazar at 234 West State St., Saturday, Dec. 13th.

FIRE ON W. COURT STREET
At 9:45 a. m. yesterday the fire department was called to the home of A. E. Hart at 416 W. Court street. The roof of the dwelling ignited by sparks from the chimney. Very little damage was done. The house is owned by Mrs. Goltra.

JACKSONVILLE WOMEN ON Y. W. C. A. COMMITTEE

Mrs. Crabtree and Miss Wadsworth Accept Appointments on Advisory Committee for Educational Campaign.

Mrs. E. E. Crabtree and Miss Mary Wadsworth who have accepted appointments on the advisory committee for the educational campaign of the Young Women's Christian Association, have just returned from a conference in Chicago.

At this initial meeting of women from all over the state, held at Hotel LaSalle last Tuesday, plans were outlined for the campaign to be held next February. Prominent women are interesting themselves in spreading a greater knowledge of the work of the organization all over the country. Miss Grace Dixon of Chicago is chairman of the campaign in Illinois.

Indorsement of the work and the forthcoming drive of the Y. W. C. A. was given by the Illinois Federation of Women's clubs in resolutions passed at its recent board meeting, Dec. 5, in Decatur. These resolutions state in part:

"Whereas, These are days of great industrial and social unrest and readjustment, affecting gravely the health, balance and safety of girls and all agencies concerned with reconstruction problems are called upon as never before to strengthen their constructive and protective work for girls, and

"Whereas, The demands of the Young Women's Christian Association for a bigger work are exceedingly heavy and the organization which has had more than fifty years experience in handling girl's work has a program which seeks to serve girls of all ages and conditions of life—the industrial, foreign speaking, colored girls and others—in Illinois and elsewhere thruout the world.

"Therefore, be it Resolved, "That we, the Board of Directors of the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs in session at Decatur indorse the Educational campaign and Financial drive of the Young Women's Christian Association and that we offer the Young Women's Christian Association wherever possible our cooperation individually and thru our clubs."

Among the advisory committee present at Tuesday's meeting were: Mrs. Keene Addington, Lake Forest; Mrs. J. A. Curry, Streator; Mrs. S. D. McKenny, Alton; Mrs. E. E. Crabtree and Miss Mary Wadsworth, Jacksonville; Mrs. W. S. Miles, Peoria; Mrs. W. P. Topping, Elgin; Mrs. A. Gates White, Garden Prairie; Mrs. A. H. Larson, Lincoln; Mrs. Alfred Norris, Princeton.

Mrs. Blanche Hart, president of the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Blanche West of Bushnell, Mrs. E. B. Griffin, Grant Park; Mrs. H. H. Cleveland and Mrs. C. L. Silvis of Rock Island and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Glen Ellyn, are others who will serve as advisory members.

TAYLOR'S CLOSING OUT SALE. I CAN'T FIND A STORE ROOM. MUST SELL MY STOCK.

Soap—120 bars \$3.95
1 gal. Karo88c
4 lb. sack pancake flour35c
5 lbs. pure lard \$1.45
1 doz. cans corn \$1.59
10 lbs. navy beans85c
1 doz. red salmon \$4.00
1 doz. No. 3 tomatoes \$2.30
1 doz. No. 3 baked beans \$1.65
1 doz. No. 3 sliced peaches \$4.35
1 doz. No. 3 cut Asparagus \$3.84
5 lbs. pop corn55c
1 doz. pineapple \$3.50
1 doz. large milk \$1.95
1 doz. tuna fish \$3.00
1 doz. Libby sliced pineapple \$4.00
All orders \$3.00 and over delivered free

Funerals

Gregory.
Funeral services for Abraham R. Gregory were held from the residence, 825 South East street, at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. The service for the dead of the Episcopal church was read by Rev. J. Langton, rector of Trinity church.

The flowers were cared for by Misses Parker, Hall, Cook and Coover.

Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery the bearers being: T. H. Buckthorpe, R. R. Buckthorpe, William G. Goebel, R. I. Dunlap, E. G. Saye and Charles Cruse.

McGinnis.

Funeral services for Mrs. John McGinnis were held from the M. P. church in Concord at 11 o'clock Friday morning in charge of the Rev. Thomas Symons assisted by the Rev. J. Yamm.

Suitable hymns were sung by Mrs. W. H. Crum and Miss Wilma Crum with Miss Eva Abernathy at the piano. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. J. Newton, Mrs. Harvey McLean, Mrs. May Wooster, all nieces of the deceased.

Burial was in Concord cemetery the bearers being, Elza Harmon, W. H. Williamson, C. E. Rexroat, W. C. Brockhouse, James Gaddis and Henry Schnitker.

With the Sick
Mrs. E. C. DeCamp is detained at her home on account of illness.

DANGER IN SKATING
ON NEW RESERVOIR
W. H. Cobb, water superintendent, said yesterday that skaters should be warned of the danger in skating on the new reservoir. In order to get the water off the Vandallia road all of the valves are open on the reservoir and the water is being taken rapidly from under the ice, making a dangerous place to skate.

Open Until Nine Tonight The Christmas Store

Your first thought in gift shopping is appropriateness to select gifts to suit the tastes and needs of the recipient. Men and women who shop for men and boys will find here large assortments of gift ideas to fit the purse of everyone.

Competent sales people wait on you during the rush hours.

Fur Collar O'Coats—an essential gift for zero weather—a variety of styles and furs to select from.

Sweaters—Shawl collar—pullover and V neck—close knit and rope stitches—all colors, \$1.25 to \$15.00.

Neckwear—Foreign and domestic silks—a revel of handsome colors. French and Italian silks, 75c to \$5. Knitted ties, \$1.50 to \$3.50.

Reefer Scarfs—Silk and knitted—plain and fancy, \$1.00 to \$6.00.

Belts—With initial buckles, \$1.00 to \$2.50.

Fur Caps—Detroit shape, \$5.00 to \$12.50.
Cloth Caps—\$1.00 to \$3.50
Gloves—Street and dress gloves, auto one-finger mits, \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Fine Luggage is an acceptable gift—all leathers for men and women—leather and silk lined—calfskin—cow hide and seal leathers, \$3.50 to \$40.00.
Why not a Wardrobe Trunk for a Christmas gift? We sell the best—the Hartman—for men or women.

Bath Robes
Collar Boxes
Golf Clubs and Bags

Silk Shirts
Silk and Fiber
Silk and Linen

MYERS BROTHERS.

ARENDELL FUNERAL HELD IN MANCHESTER
Services Held at Baptist Church—Five New Cases of Smallpox Reported Yesterday — Eastern Star Election—Other Manchester News.

Manchester, Dec. 12.—Funeral services for Miss Louisa Arendell, who died Wednesday evening at five o'clock after an illness of four weeks duration, were held this afternoon at the Baptist church here. Miss Arendell at the time of her death was 76 years, 10 months and 26 days old. She was a faithful member of the Manchester Baptist church, being a member of the church 55 years. She was one of a family of fifteen children, all but one of whom, Alonzo Arendell of Manchester, preceded her in death. Miss Arendell led a retired life and was one of the highly respected residents of this community. Her twin sister, Miss Mary Arendell died about ten years ago. During recent years Miss Louisa Arendell made her home with her nephew Charles Arendell and wife. She is survived by several nieces and nephews and her brother here. The funeral services were held at two o'clock in charge of Rev. Fred Peake. The flowers were kindly cared for by Misses Ada and Gertrude Greenwalt. The pall bearers were: Charles Walker, Albert Greenwalt, Thomas Cooley, Frank Brown, James Barber, and William McPherson. Interment was made at the Manchester cemetery.

Country sausage and spare ribs, fancy cuts of high quality beef roasts and steaks. Jeff Cruse Meat Market, Illinois phone 1627.

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CHURCHES TO HAVE MORNING SERVICES
After conference yesterday members of the Ministerial union decided upon the proper program for next Sunday in the churches. There will be Sunday school and morning service in each church as usual but there will be no evening services. It is also understood that the mid-week services can properly be resumed.

LISTEN
We offer you today a fine whipped cream Bon Bon at 40c the lb. It will pay you to buy today and hold them until Christmas.

MERRIGAN'S

BIBLES FOR GIFTS
No better present can be given than an Oxford Bible. We have a wide variety of styles. LANE'S BOOK STORE, 225 West State St.

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RETURNS FROM CHICAGO
Miss Pearl James of Kansas City, who is a guest at the home of her brother, W. D. James and family 932 West North street, returned to Jacksonville Thursday after a few days visit with her uncle, Edward Cooper in Chicago.

PRORATE COURT
In the estate of Elmer Plank, petition for the private sale of personal property was allowed. In the estate of Charles Cox, petition for citation was approved, and the hearing will be on the first Monday of the January term. A hearing had with reference to the appointment of a conservator for James Williams and it was the decision that the defendant is a competent person, able to manage his own affairs.